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PRESS RELEASE

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Type of Incident: Attempted lewd conduct with a minor

Location: Huntington Beach

P.O. BOX 70

Date/Time of Occurrence: 5-22-2010 at 1:00 a.m. **Case Number: 10-008397**

Details:

Arrested: Alvin HUYNH, 23 year old resident of Foothill Ranch, California

Charges: PC 288(A) attempted lewd conduct with a child, PC 288.4(B) arranging a meeting place with a minor for lewd conduct, PC 288.3(A) communicating with a minor

On May 22, 2010, at 1:00 a.m., Huntington Beach detectives arrested Alvin HUYNH for the above listed charges in Huntington Beach. Detectives had posed on an internet website as a 13 year old female. HUYNH was told numerous times that the female was 13 year old as he continued to forge a sexual relationship with the minor. HUYNH made arrangement to meet the 13 year old female with the intent of committing sex acts with her.

This is part of an ongoing investigation by the Huntington Beach detectives who are monitoring various online websites for subjects attempting to contact children and minors to commit sex acts with them. The specifics of the investigation are not being disclosed at this time. This is the fifth arrest in five months made by Huntington Beach detectives for this type of crime, despite considerable media attention.

This activity continues to flourish on various online social networking websites and parents are encouraged to closely monitor their children's online activities.